

# Age-Length Key

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Age-length keys will be produced from the measured TL and the age-at-capture of each Largemouth Bass. All samples will be divided into 25 mm bins? size bins (denoted  $L_i$ ) and grouped by age ( $A_j$ ). The probability that a fish is a particular age given its size ( $p_{j|i}$ ) will be calculated by dividing the number of fish ( $n_{ji}$ ) in the  $i^{th}$  length interval of the  $j^{th}$  age by the total number of fish in that size interval. The calculation for  $p_{j|i}$  will be performed in R using the FSA, magrittr, and dplyr packages according to the methods described by Derek Ogle (2016a) (Bache and Wickham 2016, Ogle 2016b, Wickham and Francois 2016).

```
library(FSA)
```

```
## ## FSA v0.8.16. See citation('FSA') if used in publication.  
## ## Run fishR() for related website and fishR('IFAR') for related book.
```

```
library(magrittr)
```

```
library(dplyr)
```

```
##  
## Attaching package: 'dplyr'  
  
## The following objects are masked from 'package:stats':  
##  
##   filter, lag  
  
## The following objects are masked from 'package:base':  
##  
##   intersect, setdiff, setequal, union
```

```
library(nnet)
```

```
LMB <- read.csv("Data/Clean-Data/2016_largemouth-bass_clean.csv") %>%  
  select(FID,Site,AgeCap,LenCap,WTg,SEXCON,Sex)
```

```
LMB$FID <- factor(LMB$FID)  
LMB$Site <- factor(LMB$Site)  
LMB$SEXCON <- factor(LMB$SEXCON)  
LMB$Sex <- factor(LMB$Sex)
```

```
length(LMB$FID)
```

```
## [1] 131
```

```
LMB[LMB$FID==55,]
```

```
## [1] FID Site AgeCap LenCap WTg SEXCON Sex  
## <0 rows> (or 0-length row.names)
```

```
#LMB <- LMB[-55,] ## Remove FID 55  
length(LMB$FID)
```

```
## [1] 131
```

```
LMB <- filterD(LMB, !is.na(FID))
```

```
str(LMB)
```

```
## 'data.frame': 131 obs. of 7 variables:
## $ FID : Factor w/ 131 levels "1","2","3","4",...: 1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9 10 ...
## $ Site : Factor w/ 11 levels "2","4","6","8",...: 6 6 6 7 10 10 10 10 10 ...
## $ AgeCap: int 4 4 4 6 4 NA 1 2 4 8 ...
## $ LenCap: int 347 292 348 374 375 355 195 289 388 423 ...
## $ WTg : int 658 415 557 669 716 719 118 479 986 1258 ...
## $ SEXCON: Factor w/ 5 levels "0","1","3","6",...: 5 3 3 5 3 5 5 3 3 5 ...
## $ Sex : Factor w/ 3 levels "0","1","2": 3 2 2 3 2 3 3 2 2 3 ...
```

```
headtail(LMB)
```

```
##      FID Site AgeCap LenCap WTg SEXCON Sex
## 1      1    11      4    347 658      8  2
## 2      2    11      4    292 415      3  1
## 3      3    11      4    348 557      3  1
## 129 130    15      2    266 305      8  2
## 130 131    15      2    261 282      3  1
## 131 132 15972      7    395 971      3  1
```

```
LMB %<>% mutate(lencat25=lencat(LenCap,w=25))
```

```
headtail(LMB)
```

```
##      FID Site AgeCap LenCap WTg SEXCON Sex lencat25
## 1      1    11      4    347 658      8  2      325
## 2      2    11      4    292 415      3  1      275
## 3      3    11      4    348 557      3  1      325
## 129 130    15      2    266 305      8  2      250
## 130 131    15      2    261 282      3  1      250
## 131 132 15972      7    395 971      3  1      375
```

```
is.na(LMB$AgeCap)
```

```
## [1] FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE TRUE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE
## [12] FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE
## [23] FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE TRUE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE
## [34] FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE
## [45] FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE
## [56] FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE
## [67] FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE
## [78] TRUE FALSE TRUE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE
## [89] FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE
## [100] FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE
## [111] FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE
## [122] FALSE TRUE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE FALSE
```

```
LMB.unaged <- filter(LMB, is.na(AgeCap))
```

```
headtail(LMB.unaged)
```

```
##      FID Site AgeCap LenCap WTg SEXCON Sex lencat25
## 1      6    18     NA    355 719      8  2      350
## 2     28    18     NA    193 125      6  2      175
## 3     79      8     NA    169 71      6  2      150
## 31    79      8     NA    169 71      6  2      150
```

```
## 4 81 8 NA 166 74 1 1 150
## 5 124 15 NA 202 136 1 1 200
```

```
all(is.na(LMB.unaged$AgeCap)) # Better be True
```

```
## [1] TRUE
```

```
LMB.aged <- filter(LMB, !is.na(AgeCap))
headtail(LMB.aged)
```

```
##      FID  Site AgeCap LenCap WTg SEXCON Sex lencat25
## 1      1   11      4   347 658      8  2      325
## 2      2   11      4   292 415      3  1      275
## 3      3   11      4   348 557      3  1      325
## 124 130   15      2   266 305      8  2      250
## 125 131   15      2   261 282      3  1      250
## 126 132 15972      7   395 971      3  1      375
```

```
any(is.na(LMB.aged$AgeCap)) # Better be False
```

```
## [1] FALSE
```

```
(alk.freq <- xtabs(~lencat25+AgeCap, data = LMB.aged))
```

```
##      AgeCap
## lencat25 1  2  3  4  5  6  7  8
##      100  2  0  0  0  0  0  0  0
##      125  6  0  0  0  0  0  0  0
##      150  6  0  0  0  0  0  0  0
##      175  7  0  0  0  0  0  0  0
##      200  5  2  0  0  0  0  0  0
##      225  4  5  0  0  0  0  0  0
##      250  0 14  0  0  0  0  0  0
##      275  0 19  1  1  0  0  0  0
##      300  0  8  6  0  0  0  0  0
##      325  0  0  1  7  2  0  0  0
##      350  0  0  0 11  4  1  1  0
##      375  0  0  0  4  3  0  2  0
##      400  0  0  0  1  1  0  0  1
##      425  0  0  0  0  0  1  0  0
```

```
rowSums(alk.freq)
```

```
## 100 125 150 175 200 225 250 275 300 325 350 375 400 425
##    2    6    6    7    7    9   14   21   14   10   17    9    3    1
```

```
alk <- prop.table(alk.freq, margin = 1)
round(alk, 3)
```

```
##      AgeCap
## lencat25 1    2    3    4    5    6    7    8
##      100 1.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000
##      125 1.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000
##      150 1.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000
##      175 1.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000
##      200 0.714 0.286 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000
##      225 0.444 0.556 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000
##      250 0.000 1.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000
```

```
##      275 0.000 0.905 0.048 0.048 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000
##      300 0.000 0.571 0.429 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000
##      325 0.000 0.000 0.100 0.700 0.200 0.000 0.000 0.000
##      350 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.647 0.235 0.059 0.059 0.000
##      375 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.444 0.333 0.000 0.222 0.000
##      400 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.333 0.333 0.000 0.000 0.333
##      425 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 1.000 0.000 0.000
```

### Some weirdness here I have a 450 mm 2 year old (FID 55 removed) and 425 mm 6 yr old while my 8 year

```
LMB.mlr <- multinom(AgeCap~lencat25,data=LMB.aged,maxit=500)
```

```
## # weights: 24 (14 variable)
## initial value 262.009634
## iter 10 value 164.396061
## iter 20 value 86.952303
## iter 30 value 78.341952
## iter 40 value 77.812635
## iter 50 value 76.672948
## iter 60 value 76.393223
## iter 70 value 76.390701
## iter 70 value 76.390700
## final value 76.390585
## converged
```

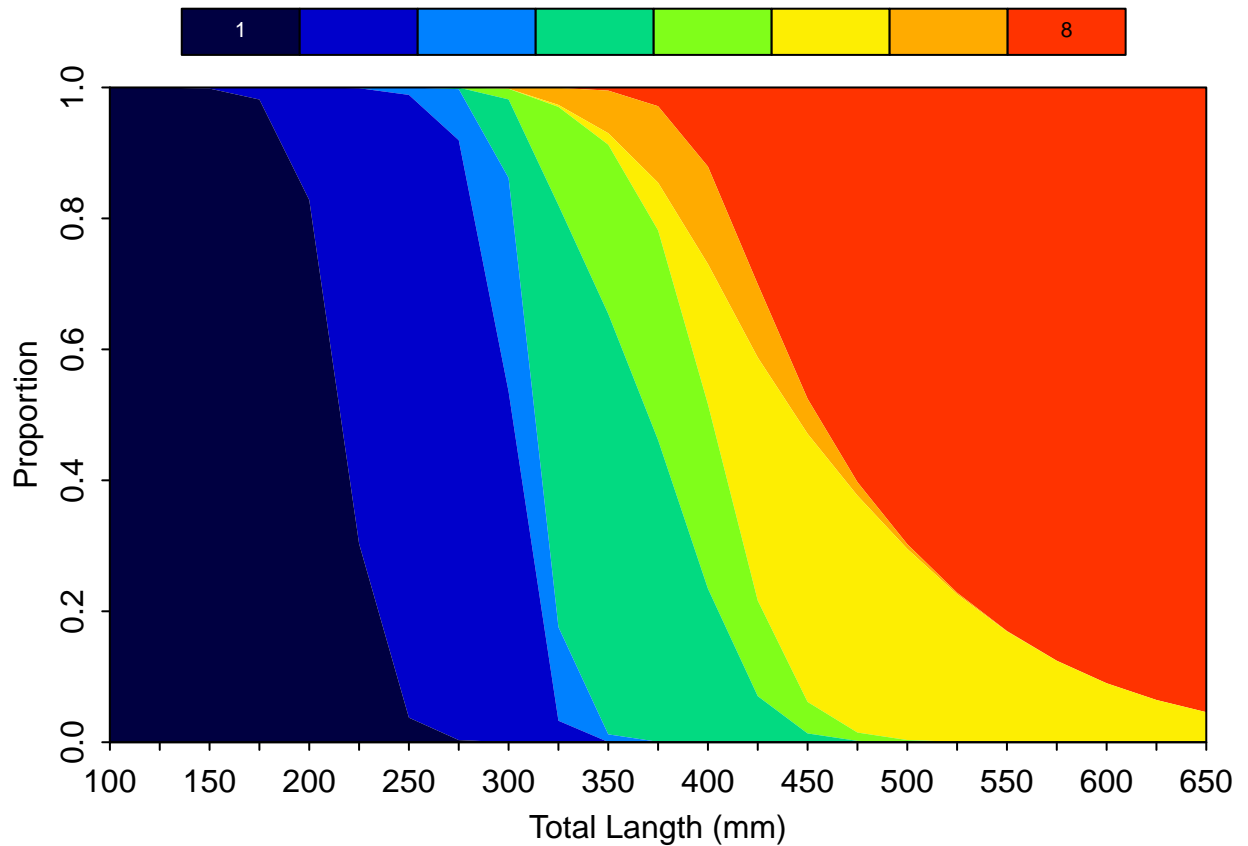
```
lens <- seq(100,650,25)
alk.sm <- predict(LMB.mlr,data.frame(lencat25=lens),type = "probs")
row.names(alk.sm) <- lens # for clarity
round(alk.sm,3) #for display purposes
```

```
##      1      2      3      4      5      6      7      8
## 100 1.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000
## 125 1.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000
## 150 0.998 0.002 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000
## 175 0.982 0.018 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000
## 200 0.828 0.172 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000
## 225 0.303 0.696 0.001 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000
## 250 0.037 0.951 0.011 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000
## 275 0.003 0.916 0.078 0.002 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000
## 300 0.000 0.535 0.326 0.120 0.016 0.000 0.002 0.000
## 325 0.000 0.033 0.143 0.644 0.150 0.003 0.026 0.001
## 350 0.000 0.000 0.012 0.642 0.258 0.018 0.065 0.005
## 375 0.000 0.000 0.001 0.461 0.320 0.073 0.117 0.029
## 400 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.235 0.282 0.214 0.149 0.121
## 425 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.070 0.146 0.371 0.112 0.301
## 450 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.013 0.048 0.410 0.053 0.476
## 475 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.002 0.013 0.362 0.020 0.603
## 500 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.003 0.292 0.007 0.698
## 525 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.001 0.225 0.002 0.772
## 550 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.169 0.001 0.830
## 575 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.124 0.000 0.875
## 600 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.090 0.000 0.910
## 625 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.065 0.000 0.935
## 650 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.000 0.046 0.000 0.954
```

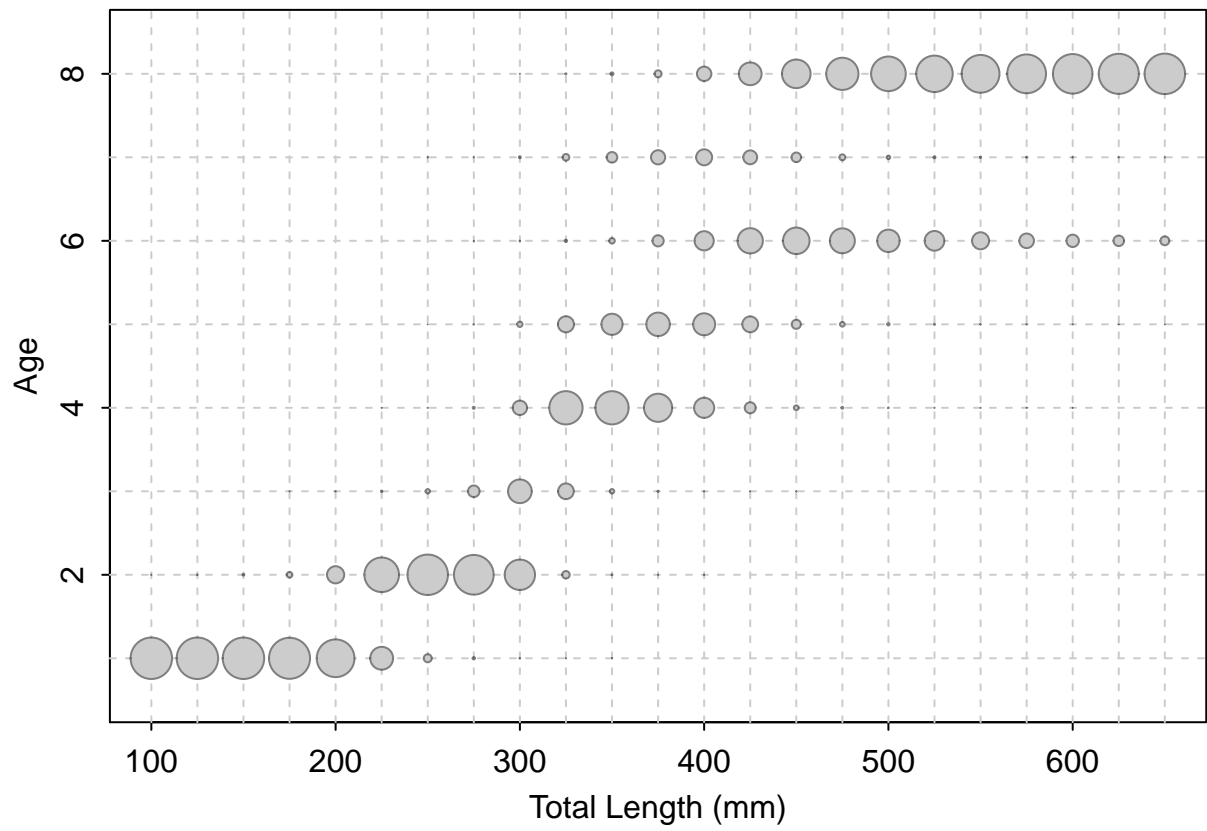
```
### Much better but still double check the ages from before!!!
```

### Smoothed Age-Length Key Model

```
### Smoothed ALK Model  
alkPlot(alk.sm,type = "area",showLegend = TRUE,leg.cex = 0.7,xlab = "Total Length (mm)")
```

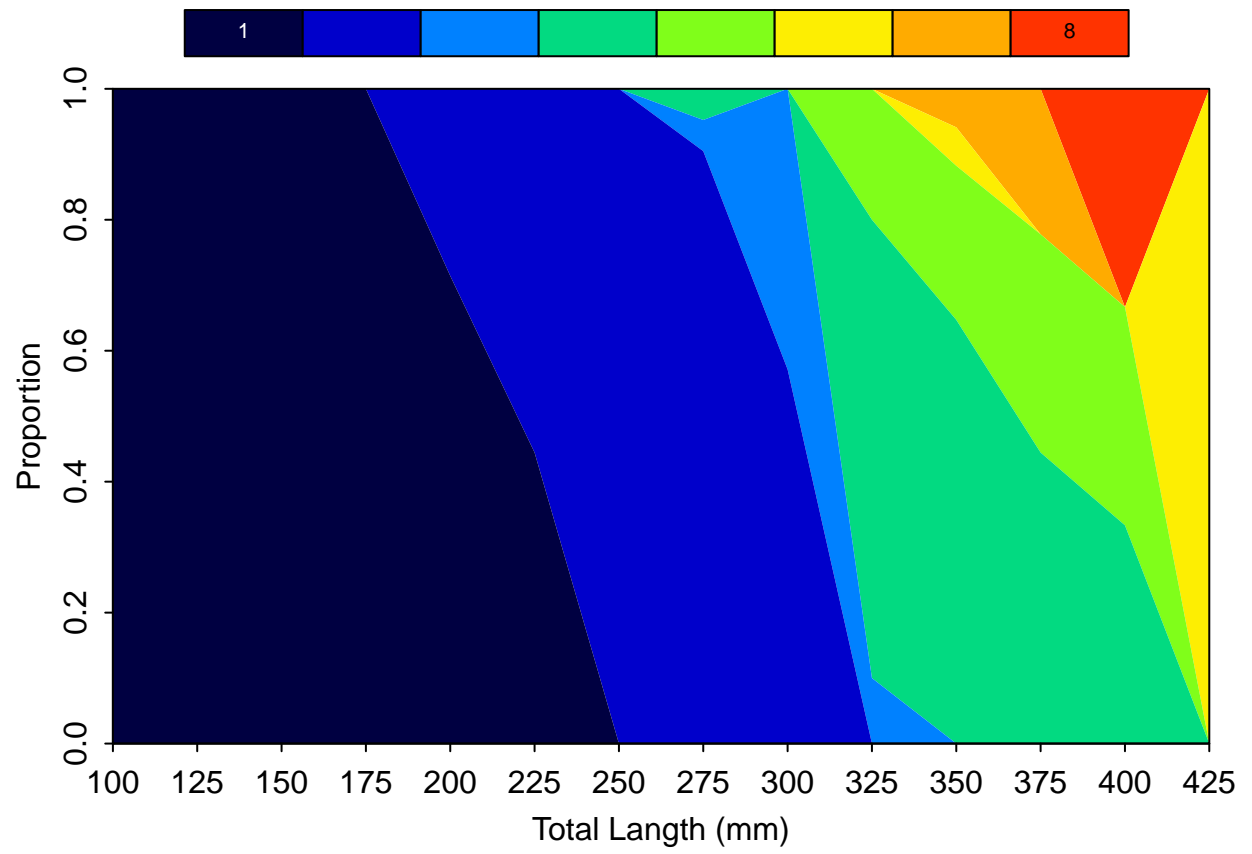


```
alkPlot(alk.sm,type = "bubble", xlab = "Total Length (mm)")
```

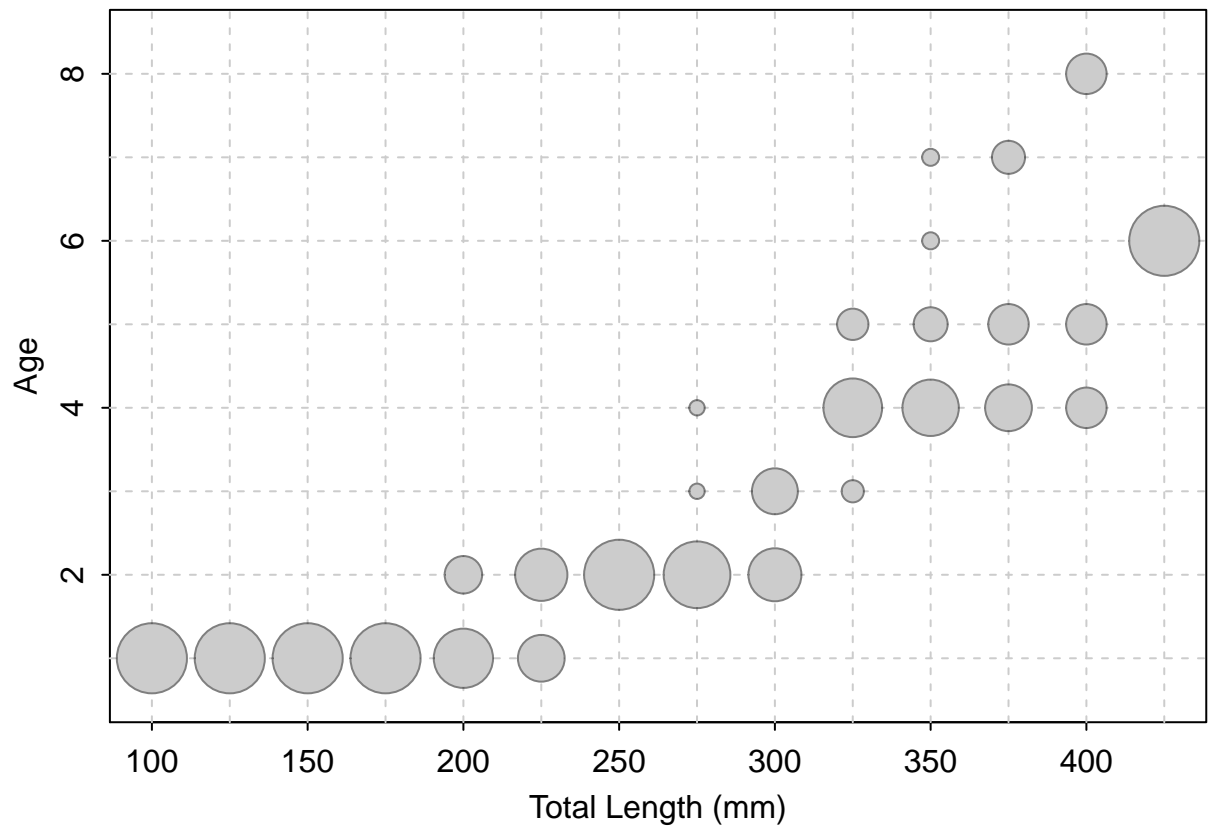


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```
alkPlot(alk,type = "area",showLegend = TRUE,leg.cex = 0.7,xlab = "Total Length (mm)")
```



```
alkPlot(alk,type = "bubble", xlab = "Total Length (mm)")
```



### Doesn't Look Good!!!